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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: Metin COLPAN

Serial No.: 08/796,040

Art Unit: 1623

Filed: February 5, 1997

Examiner: CRANE, Lawrence E.

For: DEVICE AND PROCESS FOR THE ISOLATION OF NUCLEIC ACIDS

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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